

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Michael MACH et al.

Serial No.: 08/460,715

Filed: June 2, 1995

For: STRUCTURAL PHOSPHOPROTEIN (PP28)  
OF HUMAN CYTOMEGALOVIRUS (HCMV),  
THE PREPARATION AND USE THEREOF



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Sir:

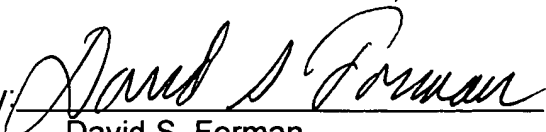
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the  
office Action of June 22, 1999. A fee of \$870.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: December 22, 1999